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J. R. Race & Co.'s
FREE GIFT DISTRIBUTION.

1886---1887.

Every purchaser of $5.00 worth of merchandise from our large stock of CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, &c., will be entitled to One Share in our Eighth Annual Free Gift Distribution, to be drawn March 5, 1887, comprising the following:

One fine Pony, Harness and Cart. The Cart is manufactured by Wayne & Anderson, manufacturers of the Champion Road Cart; also the leading manufacturers of fine carriages, buggies and phætons. The harness is made by J. G. Starr & Son, the leading harness makers of the city, and dealers in first-class saddles, bridles, whips, &c.
One $75.00 Haworth Iron Felloe Farm Wagon. For sale by D. F. Hamsher, 134 & 138 East Wood street.
One $40.00 Sewing Machine.
One 56-piece Tea Set, from E. D. Bartholomew & Co., dealers in queensware, glassware, toys, etc.
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One $10.00 Accordeon, from O. B. Prescott, the music dealer; the celebrated Haines Bros Pianos always in stock.
One $15.00 Man's Suit.
One $10.00 Zinc Trunk.
One $10.00 pair Pants to order.
One Quadruple-plated Silver Cake Basket, from O. E. Curtis & Co., the leading jewelers.
One $10 Man's Overcoat.
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One $25 Double-barrel Breech-loading Shot Gun, from E. C. Reese, wholesale and retail dealers in sporting goods, Water street.
One $10 Youth's Suit.
One 3 burner Oil Stove.
One $8 Youth's Overcoat.
One $7 Boy's Suit.
One $7 Boy's Overcoat.
One $6 Silk Hat.
One $5 Child's Overcoat.
One $7 Valise.
One $5 Silk Umbrella.
One $5 Child's Suit.
One $5 Club Bag Valise and Strap.
One $5 Zinc Trunk.
One Barrel Flour, from D. S. Snellabarger & Co.
One Barrel Flour, from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.
One ½ dozen Fine Shirts.
One $4 Soft Hat.
One $5 pair Pants.
One fine Meerschaum Pipe, from Fred Norman's celebrated Ten-Chair Barber Shop.
One $3.50 Stiff Hat.
One ½ dozen E. & W. Linen Collars and Cuffs.
One ½ dozen fancy Lisle Thread ½ Hose.
Twenty-five Prizes, each consisting of one Ornamental Nickel-plated Alarm Clock.

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GOOD ALL-WOOL PANTS,

$6.00 to $8.00.

Nobby Spring or Summer Suits,

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Fine Imported Worsteds, Diagonals, Corkscrews, Full and Half Dress Suits,

$35.00 to $60.00

Give us a call We will suit you.

FLEURY,

The French Cutter,
158 Merchant St., DECATUR.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Macon, } ss.
In the Circuit Court, to the June Term, A. D. 1886.

Minerva L. Nevins vs. George H. Nevins.

Notice is hereby given to the said George H. Nevins that the above named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the circuit court of Macon county, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1886, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

Decatur, Ill., April 24, 1886.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
CHARLES HUGHES, Sol. for Compl't—d4w

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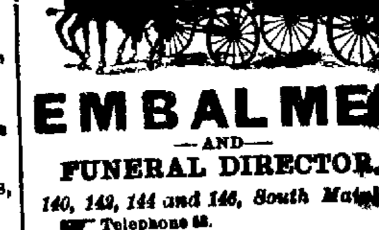

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140, 142, 144 and 146, South Main St.
Telephone 88.
May27,1885-d1f

NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends to make application to the city council at its next regular meeting, on the first Monday in June, 1886, for a license to sell intoxicating liquors in a house situated on lot 5, block 1, Central Addition to Decatur, said building being owned by F. Pabst.
CAMPBELL & MOGINITY.
may10-d2w

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
DECATUR, ILL., May 18th, 1886.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the court house in Decatur, on TUESDAY, JUNE 1st, 1886, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education, to serve for the term of three years. Said election will open at 3 o'clock p. m., and close at 6 o'clock p. m.
W. A. BARNES, Pres.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

You can buy an elegant folding cutting table or ironing board for 90 cents at the 99 Cent Store. Also large sized clothes hampers and racks for ... 10-dtf

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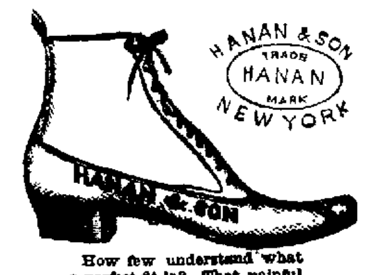

How few understand what a perfect fit is? That painful period of "breaking in" is deemed essential to every new outfit. This is positively unnecessary. The scientific principles applied to the numerous shapes and sizes of "the Hanan" shoe, insures perfect fit, and their flexibility, absolute freedom from the tortures of "breaking in," as they are easy and comfortable from the first day. Sold everywhere. Ask your shoe dealer for them.
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HELP EACH OTHER
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The tenth series of the capital stock of the SAVINGS FUND BUILDING ASSOCIATION is now open for subscription at the office of WARREN & DURFEE, 124 North Water street.

JOS. MILLS, Pres't.
B. K. DURFEE, Sec'y.

When you have occasion to buy another **SUIT OF CLOTHES** or **OVERCOAT**, for yourself or boys, see that the above label is on the coat, and you will secure the **BEST FITTING, BEST WEARING** and **BEST LOOKING CLOTHING MADE.** Every garment bears a ticket, on which appears the "T, C. & Co." monogram (trade mark). Try it.

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JOHN IRWIN'S WHITE FRONT
March 13 d&w3m

PAPER doors cost about the same as wood, and are said to be much better, because there is no shrinkage, swelling, cracking or warping. The paper door is composed of two thick paper boards stamped and molded into panels, and glazed together with glue and potash, and then rolled through heavy rollers. It is first covered with a water-proof coating, and then with a fire-proof coating, and is painted and varnished, and hung in the ordinary way.

ICE—I am now delivering ice to all parts of the city. Leave orders at Jos. Michl's cigar store, or telephone 176.
apr15-dtf T. L. ANTRIM.

WE are prepared to do all kinds of repairing in the machinery line.
may15-dtf H. MUELLER & SONS.

W. W. SHOCKEY, the contracting carpenter, is ready for business and will make figures on application. He will also put in patent window screens when desired, and guarantees satisfaction.
mar15 dtf

PERSIAN Shawls, handsome and cheap, just received, at Linn & Scruggs. d&w

New Carpets.

NEW CARPETS, of the very latest productions in Brussels, Velvets and Ingrains, just received at
LINN & SCRUGGS.

GET one of the latest price lists of Base Ball Supplies at H. Mueller & Son's, 138 Merchant street. my14-dtf

BOYS' SUITS.

Pretty Summer Clothes for Boys from Three to Eight Years Old.

Small boys wear white muslin yoke slips, precisely like those worn by little girls, until they are two years old, and it is the custom with fashionable mothers to keep them in these little frocks until they are two and a half and in many cases three years of age. However, this matter of changing the dress to a more distinctively boyish style depends a good deal on the growth of the child, as a tall boy of two years should be dressed like a boy, hence at the furnishing houses there are one-piece dresses and sailor suits made in the same designs for boys of two years as for those of four and even six years of age. For these dresses are blue or white flannels, pique, shepherd's check, white linen and ginghams in small checks, stripes or in solid dark blue or brown. The little dress all in one piece buttons down the front, and has a single box plait down each side of the front. The back has one box plait down the middle to a belt which is set in the under-arm seams, and buttoned low in the middle of the back, the skirt in the back is then finished out with kilt plaits. This may be varied slightly by lapping the fronts to make them double-breasted, and using two rows of buttons, either of colored pearl or metal on flannels, and of white pearl on wash goods. Another dress all in one piece has the waist very long, and a skirt all around laid in box plaits. The waist has two box plaits down the front and back, and when made of flannel a row of braid half an inch wide may be down the middle of each plait. A belt, also braided, extends all around, and hides the joining of the waist to the skirt. Still another fashion, especially pretty for pique dresses, has a square yoke and either three or five box plaits the entire length of the garment both in front and back these plaits are sewed permanently as low as the belt, but are only pressed in the skirt. The separate belt is two inches wide, edged with Hamburg edging, and held on by straps on the side seams. Sailor collar and deep cuffs with embroidered edging. The last dress buttons in front, but other pique dresses are made to button behind, with tucks down front and back, and fulness added in wide plaits on the sides below the waist line. Two rows of insertion may be let in between tucks down the front. Sailor suits of flannel or pique with the sailor blouse and kilt skirt are too well known to need description.

Boys from four to six or even eight years of age wear two-piece suits with a kilt sewed to a silesia waist that buttons in front, and over this is a long jacket coming below the hips. This jacket, when made of blue, gray, or white flannel, or pique, or shepherd's check, may be a Norfolk jacket with two box plaits down the single-breasted front, two box plaits behind, and a belt worn below. Metal buttons and a belt clasp or else tinted ivory or pearl bottons with eyes are used of the color of the material. Corduroy suits are made in this way in white, brown and gray shades, and the shepherd's checks are in black and white, brown with white or dark blue with white. There are also pretty Scotch Cheviots in tan and other brown shades in small irregular plaids for these suits. More dressy fine cloth and pique suits with a kilt skirt have the jacket slashed behind and cut away square at the waist line to simulate a vest, while still others have revers turned back from this simulated vest. There are wide pocket flaps on each side, but no belt. Wide linen collars are worn with these suits, hence there is no collar to the jacket. Sailor blouse-waists are also worn with kilt skirts by boys not yet in short trousers. The new spring overcoat for such boys has a shoulder cape and short waisted effect. Polo caps and straw sailor hats are chosen with reference to the suit.—*Harper's Bazar.*

TOO MUCH WORK.

Farm Profits Dependent Upon a Correct Application of Labor.

There is such a thing as doing too much work on a farm. It matters not whether the farmer buys his labor or performs it himself, it must be paid for. He will not consider himself satisfied unless he is remunerated for every hour's time he devotes to the working of a crop or on any special plot of ground. But, as a rule, farmers are prone to give more work on some locations than is necessary under certain conditions. It is a waste of time and labor to cultivate two acres if a larger crop can be secured, proportionately, on one. We are aware that one acre will not support some farmers, but the rule is applicable to larger areas. He should not cultivate fifty acres if he can secure better results from twenty-five. It will pay him to realize seventy-five bushels of corn, or twenty-five bushels of wheat, per acre, from twenty-five acres, while he may lose money if he secures fifty bushels of corn, or twenty bushels of wheat, per acre, from fifty acres. It is not the gross amount of produce he receives that pays, but the net. It requires more time to spread a given amount of manure over two acres than upon one, and so far as cultivation is concerned, the cost is doubled. Now, all this extra work may be thrown away if the farmer can, by lessening the area, devote more time and attention to a smaller space. There will be less hurry, more thorough cultivation, greater facility in harvesting, fewer laborers and better condition of the working stock. It is in the correct application of labor that the profits are derived. It may be wasted or misapplied, and thus occasion bankruptcy instead of prosperity.—*Farm, Field and Stockman.*

—The Russian painter Vereschagin was in London during the recent riots, and feels inclined to paint the scenes he witnessed. "Never in my life," he says, "had I seen human beings so famished, so badly clothed and abjectly miserable. Language can not express the effect produced on me by the sight of such an inexpressibly unhappy mob, brutalized by want."

MEN'S Shoes, in Button, Lace and Congress, whole cut, for $2.00, at Barber & Baker's. mar19-d&wtf

SHAWLS—Imported Camel's Hair and India, just received, at LINN & SCRUGGS'. sept9-d&wtf

FOR the best Hot Air Furnaces, go to Sorgen & Stout, north of New Deming.
my21-dtf

Crushed Coke.

Penn. Crushed Coke, at Martin's—the cleanest fuel. Try it.
mar29-dtf E. L. MARTIN.

THE best $3.00 Shoes for Gents in the city, at Barber & Baker's. 19-d&wtf

GOLD and Silver Shirts at Cheap Charley's. 23-d&wtf

WARM WEATHER

Makes a fellow feel uncomfortable, particularly so when he has not changed his winter wear.

As a gentle reminder we would most respectfully announce to the trade that our stock of LIGHT WEIGHT COATS AND VESTS are in, and awaiting your inspection.

B. STINE,

The Boss Clothier.

ROBE SALE
THIS WEEK
—AT—
BRADLEY BROS.'
Popular New York Store.

One Lot White Swiss Suits, containing 10 yards Swiss, with 4½ wide and 4½ yards Narrow Embroidery, at $1.50 each pattern.

Brown, Blue, Pink and Gray Embroidered Chambray Suits.

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White and Cream Skirtings, Flouncings, and All-Overs in great variety.

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One of the Largest Retail Clothing Houses in Central Illinois.

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You know we have enlarged our quarters, and with the enlargement of the store we have also

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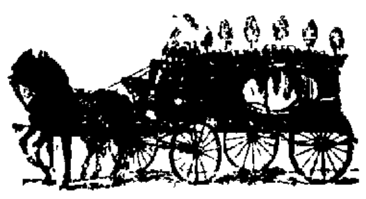

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Mr. Bullard will always keep in stock the best of everything pertaining to the Undertaking business, with cheap prices to correspond. He makes a specialty of Embalming and preserving the features of the dead. Do not fail to interview Mr. Bullard when requiring service in his line. The finest hearses and carriages always ready for prompt service at low prices. An attendant is on duty night and day, and all orders by telephone will receive prompt attention.

Stand Southwest Cor. of Old Square.
Residence, 273 West Main Street.
DECATUR, ILLINOIS
March 9 1886 d1f

Notice of Application—Conservatorship.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Macon, } ss
In the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, to the June Term, A. D. 1886.
Application for the appointment of a Conservator for Joseph Smith alleged to be insane, or distracted, or a lunatic, or idiot.

Notice is hereby given to you, the said Joseph Smith, that a petition has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of said County of Macon, by Mary A. Cole, a resident of Decatur, Ill., for the appointment of herself, or some other person, to be conservator for you, the said Joseph Smith, which petition, among other things, alleges that you are unfit to properly manage or control your property. Now you are hereby notified to be and appear before the County Court of said County on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the City of Decatur, in said County, on the Third Monday in the month of June, A. D. 1886, and show cause, if any, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Dated Decatur, Ill., May 20th, 1886.
G. P. HARDY,
20-1t Clerk of County Court.

BY taking the Illinois Central train for Chicago at 7.30 a. m you make direct connections with all east-bound trains, including the Limited train, giving passengers the very best accommodations and over any line. This train also makes direct connections with the New Limited trains over the Chicago & Northwestern and Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railways. Call on H. W. Shimer for full information regarding rates and routes. New descriptive book of Summer Resorts in the North. apr27

FOR Louisville, Cincinnati and all points East and Southeast, call on H. W. Shimer for rates and other information. apr27

SUSPENDERS—great lot—low prices, at Linn & Scruggs. d&w

THE Champion and Myres Force Pumps are the best force pumps made. For sale by Spencer, Lehman & Co.
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LADIES' fine Hand-turned Shoes, new goods, at Barber & Baker's. 19-dtf

THE Best Goods for the Least Money, at LINN & SCRUGGS.

GREAT bargains in Ladies' Muslin Underwear, at Linn & Scruggs. d&w

FOR Artists' Supplies call on Myer & Son, who will give you the lowest prices. dtf

SEE our immense display of fine shoes and get one of our handsome Easter cards. J. H. BLACK & SON. dtf

SPRING SHAWLS, large and elegant assortment, at low prices.
d&w LINN & SCRUGGS.

SEALED BIDS.

Public Notice is hereby given that the contract for the improvement of East William street, from the east side of Franklin street east to the west rail of the main track of the I. C. R. R. by grading, graveling, guttering and paving with cobblestones, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council April 9th, 1886, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk, in Decatur, Ill., from the date hereof until 5 o'clock P. M. of the 25th day of May, A. D. 1886, for the labor, and for the materials of said improvement, and for the entire improvement including labor and materials. All bids, when received, will be submitted to the city council for its action.

F. C. BETZER, City Clerk.
Decatur, Ill., April 15, 1886—dtd

SEALED BIDS.

Public Notice is hereby given that the contract for the improvement of North Morgan street, from the north line of William street north to the south line of East Eldorado street, by grading, graveling, guttering and paving with cobblestones, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto passed by the city council April 9th, 1886, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk, in Decatur, Ill., from the date hereof until 5 o'clock P. M. of the 25th day of May, A. D. 1886, for the labor, and for the materials of said improvement, and for the entire improvement including labor and materials. All bids, when received, will be submitted to the city council for its action.

F. C. BETZER, City Clerk.
Decatur, Ill., April 15th, 1886—dtd

SEALED BIDS.

Public Notice is hereby given that the contract for the improvement of North Franklin street, from the north line of East main street north to the north line of East William street, by grading, graveling, guttering and paving with cobblestones, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council April 9th, 1886, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk, in Decatur, Ill., from the date hereof until 5 o'clock P. M. of the 25th day of May, A. D. 1886, for the labor, and for the materials of said improvement, and for the entire improvement including labor and materials. All bids, when received, will be submitted to the city council for its action.

F. C. BETZER, City Clerk.
Decatur, Ill., April 15, 1886—dtd.

SEALED BIDS.

Public Notice is hereby given, that the contract for the improvement of East Eldorado street, from the west line of Morgan street east to the west line of the right of way of the I. C. R. R. Co., by grading, graveling, guttering and paving with cobblestones according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto passed by the City Council April 9th, 1886, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder; and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in Decatur, Ill., from the date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m. of the 25th day of May, A. D. 1886, for the labor and for the materials of said improvement, and for the entire improvement including labor and materials. All bids when received will be submitted to the City Council for its action.

F. C. BETZER, City Clerk.
Decatur, Ills., April 15, 1886.—dtd

SEALED BIDS.

Public Notice is hereby given, that the contract for the improvement of East Cerro Gordo street from the west side of North Morgan street to the west line of North Front street, by grading, graveling, guttering and paving with cobblestone, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the City Council April 9th, 1886, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in Decatur, Ill., from the date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m. of the 25th day of May, A. D. 1886, for the labor, and the materials of said improvement, and for the entire improvement including labor and materials. All bids when received will be submitted to the City Council for its action.

F. C. BETZER, City Clerk.
Decatur, Ill., April 15, 1886.—dtd

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GERMAN ASTHMA CURE
March 24-d&w3m

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The Daily Republican.

R. E. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.
HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri't'rs
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

SATURDAY EVE., MAY 22, 1886

CHICAGO *Tribune:* John A. Logan, who, it is said by some Democrats, cannot write grammatically, is having his book criticised by the Democratic editors who cannot speak English. In order to prevent any misunderstanding, it may be well enough to state that Mr. Logan did not write his book as a Democratic campaign document.

THE Mayor of Cleveland, Ohio, has ordered a discontinuance of the Anarchist meetings in that city, and given instructions to the police to arrest all persons found in attendance at such gatherings. The Socialists and Anarchists are very strong in Cleveland and it is believed that Parsons is now in hiding somewhere in the Socialist slums of that city.

GENERAL THOMAS EWING, of New York, says that the Ohio Democrats were outgeneraled, Van Cleaf was caught out of place and the Democrats lost their case. General Ewing not many years ago represented Ohio Democrats in Congress and was their candidate for Governor. While an uncompromising Democrat, he has the virtue of knowing when he is whipped. This quality is not general in the make up of a Democrat.

INDIANAPOLIS *Journal* When D. P. Patterson, of Tennessee, a son-in law of Andy Johnson, was United States Senator a good many years ago, he obtained a lucrative position in the Interior Department for young Mr. Whitthorne, now Senator himself, has just had Mr Patterson appointed postmaster of his town, a position that pays $140 a year. This shows that bread cast upon the waters will come back after many days, though the return slices are sometimes very thin.

THE old stock of weather augurs has nearly played out, and a new man is coming to the front. His name is A. J. De Voe, and his home is at Hackensack, N J. He predicts that, after the 23d of May, we shall not have much more summer weather till about the first of September. After May 26, it is to grow decidedly cool. June is to be a cold, wet month, according to De Voe, and overcoats will feel decidedly comfortable on the fourth of July. This partially agrees with the predictions of Decatur's latest weather prophet, Mr. J. Q A. Odor. Joe says we are to have two more snows this year, but he is not certain whether they will come in June or December.

JUDGE MALLORY, of Milwaukee, in charging the Grand Jury empaneled to investigate the recent riots, authorized them to investigate labor organizations, and told the jury that any oath which binds officers or members to a resort to violence to accomplish certain purposes, rendered that organization unlawful and liable to indictment. The trouble with labor organizations is not, however, as the Judge seems to assume, in their articles of organization, but in allowing unscrupulous and incendiary men to go to the front and assume the direction of affairs, despite the constitution and by laws of the society.

Board of Education.

DECATUR, ILL., May 21, 1886

Present, Messrs. Barnes, Chambers, Warren and clerk

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Treasurer's report of receipts and expenditures for the month of April read, compared and approved

Superintendent's report of receipts and expenditures of tuition fund read, examined and approved.

The following bills were allowed and clerk directed to draw orders to pay the same:

Hamsher & Mosser, $13 75; B B. Tuttle, $9; Field & Wilson, $38 71; W. J Mize & Co, $10, Decatur Gas Co, $1 47, Geo. R. Bacon & Co., 80c, Decatur Coal Co., $945; John Ullrich & Co., 60c; P. A. Hoffman, $1.50, Morehouse, Wells & Co, $11 59; H. Mueller & Son, $1.40, Miss B. Whitsitt, $13 50.

On motion adjourned.

W. A. BARNES, Pres.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

WASHINGTON *Critic* On Easter night a little Massachusetts Avenue boy was saying his prayers at his mother's knee, and just before reaching the end he stopped. "Go on, Freddie," said his mother, "you haven't finished yet" "Bless papa and mama," he continued; "and now good-by, God. Lent is over, and I guess you won't hear from us again until this time next year. Amen."

FOR low rates to California via all routes, single or round trip tickets, call on G. H. Brown, Wabash ticket office, Union Depot. mar25-dtf

LADIES' Patent Leather Oxfords are the newest style for Spring—B, C, D widths, at Powers & Haworth's. apr27-dtf

CALL for the Anti-Water Spatterer and Filter, 50 cents, at H. Mueller & Sons'. may15-dtf

HAVE your measure taken for a Wilson Bros. Shirt at B. Stine's. may14-dtf

See our elegant display of fine Shoes ... show window. The pop... of J. H. Black & Son.

BY TELEGRAPH

THE BROOKS TRIAL.

Another Day's Proceedings In the Great Maxwell-Preller Murder Case.

Testimony of the Toronto Photographer Who Identified the Dead Man's Body —Detective Tracey's Testimony.

Increased Attendance of Ladies At the Trial---A Curious Crowd Sandwiched Among the Lawyers.

ST LOUIS, May 21.—The attendance at the Maxwell trial was as large as usual to-day The proportion of women present seems to have increased, and the Gilmore sisters, variety actresses, society young ladies, men about town and lawyers, were pretty well mixed up within the bar Outside the railing the usual motley assemblage paid close attention to every incident

John Arthur Frazee, a Toronto photographer, was the first witness He testified that he met Preller a year ago last February in Toronto He accurately described Preller's personal appearance and described him as kindly and benevolent The witness produced a large and elegantly framed portrait of Preller, painted by one of his assistants in Toronto The witness stated that while sick in his room his brother came to him and showed him the photograph of a corpse and asked him if a painting could be made from it. The witness replied that it could not, and on taking a second look, exclaimed "My God, that is Arthur Preller" The witness then found that Marshall F McDonald was down stairs and that the photograph had been sent up by him.

The witness then went on to tell of his visit to St Louis in September, the examination of Preller's body in Bellefontaine Cemetery, his positive identification of it and the finding of a scar over the left eye of the corpse of the same size, and in the position as described by the witness before visiting the cemetery The witness' identification of Preller's body was complete in every way

Mr Martin, on cross examination, did not attempt to shake the identification of the body, and it now goes before the jury as an acknowledged fact.

George W Iams, a Union depot baggageman, testified to Maxwell and Preller making inquiry for Maxwell's delayed trunks containing the magic lantern and other articles

Samuel H Overholt, assistant general baggage agent of the Wabash, testified to the baggage being detained by the customs authorities

Nicholas Mansfield, a police officer, testified to being present when the trunk containing Preller's body was opened

Henry Telroff, a druggist at Mastbrook's pharmacy, identified the defendant as having called at Mastbrook's store and having purchased chloroform

Detective James Tracey, who went to Auckland, New Zealand, after the prisoner, was the next witness He testified as to the letters found in the trunks left at the Southern, and detailed the particulars of his trip to the antipodes He also testified to finding some of Preller's clothing among Maxwell's baggage, and identified the same, as well as a letter written in cipher, which the prisoner declared he thought he had mailed from San Francisco

During the examination of this witness, a recess was taken for lunch

At 1 35 order was called and Detective Tracey resumed the witness stand, and the identification of the property found in Maxwell's baggage was continued The field glasses which Maxwell purchased here and wore on his trip West were recognized, and an album containing a number of pictures was identified The witness said the erasures were on the pictures when he first saw the album The witness was asked to bind up the clothing belonging to Preller as he had found them He rolled up the drawers and undershirt with the scissors in the center and then wrapped a towel around the bundle

"This is the way it was done," said he

"How soon did you begin to have conversations with the defendant?" asked Mr Bishop

"The second day out "

"Did he talk freely?"

"Not altogether, sir "

"Did you talk with him about his means?"

"I did I asked him once how much money he had when he left St Louis and he said about one thousand dollars I asked him what he had done with it, and he said he had spent it in St. Louis, on the trip, in San Francisco and on shipboard I said he surely could not have spent all of it and he said 'You will have to ask my counsel, Napier, what became of the rest He got the last $180 I had' He said that his money was in large bills, small bills and gold "

Some further testimony as to where Maxwell got the jewelry and field-glass was given He told Tracy he bought them in St Louis

JOINS THE STRIPED CHOIR

Ex Alderman Jaehne Takes His Departure for Sing Sing.

NEW YORK, May 21 —As early as six o'clock this morning the vicinity of the Tombs prison began to assume an appearance similar to that seen in the days when executions were public People learned that Alderman Jaehne was about to be removed to Sing Sing to begin serving out his sentence The crowd gradually augmented until it numbered several hundred, all anxious to catch a glimpse of the now celebrated prisoner During this time Jaehne was engaged in making a toilet that was far from that on which he has usually appeared, and at precisely seven o'clock Deputy Sheriff Barney Marten attached himself to the convicted alderman with a pair of handcuffs and accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Sexton they hurriedly entered a carriage at the Leonard street entrance and were rapidly driven away, while the crowd in front of the prison was watching a carriage drawn up at the front entrance to deceive them At eight o'clock Jaehne left the Grand Central Depot for Sing Sing

Later—Jaehne as a Washer Woman

NEW YORK, May 21 —Jaehne's brother Charles, his brother in law Charles Isaac, and a friend who had driven to the depot after Jaehne, took seats behind him in the car in which he sat Although the blinds of the car windows were quickly closed, Jaehne's presence was soon known, and a crowd began to flock into the car. Deputy Kiernan was busy keeping them out Jaehne had a morning paper high above his face, and his friends surrounded him in the rear so that it was impossible to get a view of the blonde moustache and troubled face.

After the start, as soon as the train entered the tunnel the blinds were raised and Jaehne settled back for his ride. He chatted pleasantly with his keepers and his brother and although he looked worried he tried to appear contented

At Sing Sing he was taken out of the cars some distance below the station, and walked with downcast head through a large crowd of men and boys to the station.

Before donning his prison suit, Jaehne had to go through the formality of giving up all his valuables His jewelry consisted of a plain gold ring, a diamond collar button and gold sleeve buttons His other effects consisted of a pocket-book, handkerchief, cigars, two oranges and $92 21 in money He was put to work in the laundry department shortly after his arrival.

Fatal Results of a Family Quarrel.

POINT PLEASANT, W. Va., May 22 —Apple Grove, a small town twenty miles below this point, was yesterday the scene of a family tragedy Mrs James Guerin and sister, Mrs Thomas, are widows each being left with a large number of children They reside near each other, and the children quarreled over the ownership of a step-ladder, when Mrs Thomas appeared and carried the ladder home Her nephew, Jimmie Guerin aged nineteen, followed her and struck her with a large stone, crushing the back part of her head, the woman soon dying Shortly after, the dead woman's daughter Eliza, aged fifteen, secured a gun, and firing upon her cousin, the boy murderer of her mother, riddled him with shot, he also dying in a few moments The girl was arrested Much excitement exists

Union Tailors Locked Out.

NEW YORK, May 22 —Several members of the United Boss Tailors' Union in accordance with a resolution adopted at the meeting of the union Thursday night inaugurated a war on all employes yesterday who belong to the United Tailors' Union, and about three hundred employes were locked out There are four thousand members in the latter union who are affected by the above decision of the bosses, and more lock-outs are expected The men threaten to apply for work direct to the employers, and do without bosses or middlemen

Another Bank Cashier Goes to the Penitentiary

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Isaac Rodgers, former clerk of the First National Bank of Chester, who pleaded guilty of embezzling $27,000 during the period of time extending from 1879 to 1884, was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and to undergo imprisonment for seven years in the penitentiary Rodgers made what was thought to be a restitution when discovered, by returning $6,000, but it was afterward found that this was not all, the total deficit amounting to $27,000

Attempted Wife Murder

FARMINGDALE, N J, May 22 —Peter Tolley, who lives near this place, attempted to murder his wife a few days ago He attacked her with a double-barreled shotgun and two butcher knives His nine children succeeded in saving the woman's life The infuriated man then drove his wife and children from the house and destroyed every thing in doors The woman and children hid in the woods until night and then went to a neighbor's Tolley has been lodged in jail He is believed to be insane

A Modern Jack Sheppard

JOLIET, Ill., May 22 —While at work in the prison garden yesterday the notorious burglar and convict "Capper" Shaw made his escape and reached the woods before an alarm could be given Some years ago while on his way to prison and heavily ironed he sprang from the car window without being injured, and at his trial in Cass County he also made a desperate attempt at escape by jumping from a second-story window of the court-house

A Pious Fraud

NEW YORK, May 22 —It has just been made public that discrepancies amounting to $25,000 were found in the accounts of John R Smith, who for nineteen years was treasurer of the Board of Domestic Missions of the Reformed Church of the United States. This led to his retirement last June Officers of the board consider themselves secure against ultimate loss and will not prosecute

Sparring Matches Will Not Be Allowed in Chicago

CHICAGO, May 22 —Chief of Police Ebersold yesterday notified "Parson" Davies, who had applied for a permit, that from this date sparring matches will not be allowed in Chicago The Sullivan Mitchell event, which was to occur next month, will undoubtedly be declared off, as gate money was the object of the match

The Washerwomen's Strike

TROY, N Y, May 22 —The situation among the collar shops and laundries does not indicate an immediate resumption An effort was made yesterday morning to have custom laundries handle work of the manufacturers who have closed down their shops, but the girls in those establishments will not touch the orders

Declared Off

BUFFALO, N Y, May 22 —The journeymen plumbers' strike which has been in progress in this city for three weeks was declared off yesterday The men resume work at the old rates to-day

A Wiser and a Sadder Man

NEW YORK, May 22 —W G George, the runner, who was recently defeated by Myers, sails for England to day on the steamship Etruria

Powderly

SCRANTON, Pa, May 22 —General Master Workman Powderly left for Cleveland last evening to attend the convention to be held there on the 23d instant

An Operetta.

The ladies of the House of Prayer are arranging to give the pretty musical concert, "Little Red Riding Hood," at the opera house on Friday evening, May 28th, and promise a fine entertainment. Many children will appear on the stage in pretty costumes. The proceeds will be used toward paying off the debt on the house of worship.

Everybody Can Have a Cream Bucket.

Ferguson & Dillehunt are selling a creamery can, such as the Decatur Creamery sold for $1 25, at 50 cents each —less than half cost—and they are just the thing for hanging in a well to keep cream or milk cool. Call and get a bargain before it is too late. 125 North Water street. may18 d10d

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A FISHY SUBJECT.

Excitement Growing Out of the Seizure of American Fishing Vessels.

The Action of the Canadian Government Severely Criticised and Condemned In Nova Scotia.

Governor Robie of Maine On the Late Seizures--Rumors That Another Vessel Has Been Tied Up.

Sentiment In Nova Scotia In Regard to the Fisheries Muddle

BOSTON, May 22 —The Arcadian *Recorder*, a Nova Scotia newspaper has the following:

The fault is on our side for all these difficulties The present Tory Government have taken no pains to evoke generous sentiments in the breasts of American public men They have snarled and endeavored to pursue a policy of isolation They have erected commercial barriers This line of policy persistently pursued has reacted on the American people, and as they can get on very well without us they are proposing to meet us with a like spirit and most alarming consequences now stare us in the face Let us never forget that the remaining half of the great American continent is not peopled by Turks or barbarians but by men who belong to our great race and speak our own language Nothing divides us but imaginary lines Hundreds of thousands of our sons are settled there We are bound up with them in the way of trade as with no other section of the wide world

The Fishery Question

WASHINGTON, May 22 —It is said at the State Department that the British Minister has not urged the appointment of a commission to arbitrate the fishery difficulties, and that the President's recommendation that such a commission be appointed is all the administration has done or expects to do in the matter Consul-General Phelan's report upon the seizure of the two American fishing vessels it is said, contains nothing not already made public, but will serve as a basis of negotiations for the Department of State now in progress

Frye's Amendment to the Shipping Bill

WASHINGTON, May 22 —The House committee on shipping has decided to non concur in Senator Frye's amendment to the shipping bill providing for retaliation for treatment accorded to Maine fishermen by the Canadian Government This action on the part of the committee does not necessarily mean that the House will reject the Senator's amendment, as non-concurrence by the committee was merely for the purpose of securing a conference up on the matter

Governor Robie On the Late Seizures

PORTLAND Me, May 22 —Governor Robie, in an interview yesterday, said that to his mind the seizures of American schooners was a blunder on the part of the Canadian Government an outrage upon our flag and a gross injustice to the fishermen and owners The sentiment of Maine was that the National Government should protect our property when in Canadian waters as it would at home

Rumors of Another Seizure

PORTLAND, Me May 22 —There is a rumor that the Ella Maud, one of the vessels owned by Lewis Chase & Whitten has been seized for shipping two men in one of the colonial ports The firm have heard nothing from the captain. They say that if he shipped men he went beyond his instructions The vessels of this firm have been ordered to take on bait from any provincial port

THE FORTY NINTH CONGRESS

(First Session)

SENATE

WASHINGTON May 21 —Mr Hampton, at his own request owing to illness in his family, was excused from service as one of the visitors to the West Point Military Academy and Mr Gibson was appointed in his place

Mr Sewell gave notice that he would ask the Senate to take up the Fitz John Porter bill as soon as the Bankruptcy bill shall have been disposed of

The Senate then proceeded to consider the bill which provides for closing up the business of the Court of Claims Reports of the majority and minority of the committee were read The majority report maintains that the difference in value between coin and currency at the time of the Geneva award and after ward on sale of the Geneva award bonds was and is the property of the United States Treasury and should not form any part of the sum out of which judgments of the could should be paid The minority report contends on the contrary that the United States occupies the position of trustee of the claimants and could not sell the bonds named and credit itself with the difference between the gold and currency values

Mr Hoar defended the position of the minority He explained that persons who had suffered direct loss from the Confederate cruisers had all been paid and that only the class who had paid war premiums of insurance remained He contended they should have the benefit of the premium received by the Government from the sale of the bonds on the ground that Congress had always treated the Geneva award fund as a separate fund, and that the Government acted as trustee Congress he said, had by law determined to pay the claims and while other classes of claimants had been paid in full it would be unjust (there not being money enough to pay the remaining claims in any event) to make a discrimination against the class remaining unpaid

Mr Wilson supported the position of the majority He denied that the government had been in the position of an ordinary trustee He saw no reason why a man who paid war premium and received it back in course his business should be placed in a better position than men who entered the army

Mr George understood that the bill provided for the payment of exactly the amount of money received by the United States from Great Britain—giving to claimants the benefit of premium made on the sale of gold for greenbacks in which part of former claimants were paid He also understood the bill to pay all interest which the United States had agreed to pay from the time of the receipt of the money in 1873 up to 1877 when the money was covered into the treasury

Mr Hoar said that that understanding was exactly correct or in other words the United States gains nothing and loses nothing by the transaction It pays out money got from Great Britain, and when it invests money in certain securities and sells them again it pays out the money it gets and does no speculation by the transaction

The bill was passed as it came from the House—yeas 29 nays, 13

The urgent Deficiency bill being reported by Mr Allison from the committee on appropriation it was passed without debate

Mr Plumb moved that the Senate insist on its amendments to the Post office Appropriation bill The Senate agreed to the motion, and the Chair appointed Messrs. Plumb Mahone and Call as a conference committee

On motion of Mr Blair the Senate then proceeded to the consideration of favorably reported pension bills standing on the calendar After the passage of a number of these bills Mr Beck suggested that it might be well to have the committee s report bearing on the cases read and criticised the Senate's haste in passing these bills without examining the reports

Mr Blair said there was a full and careful report with each bill reports that had been on file for a month so that each Senator who wanted information had only to read them.

Mr Beck said he had observed no member of the committee rise to explain the cases and he had not supposed it was any offense to ask to have an occasional report read There had been two hundred bills sent to the President in one day, a large majority of which did not seem to have been considered

Mr Sawyer remarked that the bill immediately under consideration had been reported by him It was a just bill, he said, though he could not give the details without reference to the report He had not reported to the Senate a single case that he had not believed to be just

Mr Beck mentioned a bill that had been vetoed because it gave the pension to the wrong man

Mr Blair said the only effect of passing that bill would have been that nobody would get a pension and the bill would have to be reintroduced and passed with the right name

Mr Hoar thought there was some danger that the public would get an idea that members of the Senate acted with improper haste in these matters Congress he said had to legislate for sixty millions of people It had to deal with vast questions railroads, commerce, tariffs the army and navy and all the mechanism of a complicated government Now it was manifestly impossible that this body should deal with two or three thousand pension cases every year and have the facts in each case explained to the Senate We gave to the pension office the ordinary administration of the pension law It was a service performed by one man, and without the slightest disrespect to that office or the slightest vanity on the part of the Senate Mr Hoar supposed it not improper to say that that was an officer, who, as a rule in the scale of the public service would rank below a Senator of the United States Here were seventy six Senators What do they do in regard to pension matters? The Senate committed these special acts to special committees whose rule and policy were as well and definitely fixed as those that guided the Commissioner of Pensions There were certain cases in which the facts could not be proved by ordinary rules of evidence administered in the Pension Office yet where they were shown to be true to the absolute satisfaction of everybody by another and different class of evidence that required special legislation These were cases of peculiar hardship in the application of general laws that could not be well defined by general statutes If the Senate committee of nine members had a case presented to it that it was of doubtful propriety or policy the committee would be divided on it and there would be a minority report and it would be debated If there was any thing wrong about a case some member of the committee would remonstrate We were therefore justified in saving public time by reposing on the responsibility of nine Senators what in the ordinary administration of the pension law was taken on the responsibility of the Commissioner of Pensions alone It was not strange however, Mr Hoar thought that to find out of two thousand or three thousand cases an incident like that to which the President had referred

Mr Beck thought Mr Hoar's suggestion would simply imply that when a bill was reported from the committee without a minority report it should be passed without a word, and anybody objecting was told he was objecting to the pensioning of soldiers Perhaps that would be good legislation and perhaps not No committee was infallible He supposed the best way to avoid censure for impertinent interference was to let every pension case pass without comment

Mr Blair inquired whether any member of the pension committee had accused the Senator from Kentucky of impertinence or improper interference?

Mr Beck replied that he did not care to answer that question

Mr Blair remarked that he could not answer it and tell the truth if he answered it in the affirmative

Mr Beck did not propose to answer the Senator from New Hampshire As to telling the truth Mr Beck thought himself as truthful as Mr Blair would venture to be

Mr Blair said it was for that reason that he (Mr Blair) had stated that Mr Beck could not otherwise answer That Senator well knows that nobody had found fault with him

After some further discussion of the question at 5 10 p m the Senate went into executive session and three quarters of an hour later when the doors were reopened adjourned until Monday

HOUSE

Mr Herbert (Ala) reported the Naval Appropriation bill and it was referred to the committee of the whole

Consideration of the bill prohibiting the importation of mackerel during the spawning season was then resumed

Mr Reed (Me) said that there had been a great falling off in late years in the character and nature of the fisheries, and it was attributed to the practice of net fishing during the spawning period All men engaged in mackerel fishing condemned this practice and protested against its continuation

Mr Buchanan (N J) desired to amend the bill so that it should not apply to mackerel caught with hook and line from row boats south of Sandy Hook and offered an amendment to that effect

Mr Hewitt (N Y) opposed the bill and said the House had but little information in its possession on the subject, and he thought the question should be referred to the Fish Commission for its opinion

Mr Milliken (Me) supported the bill

Mr Lore replied that while Delaware was small he did not know that the appetite of her people was less on that occasion

After further debate Mr Buchanan's amendment was slightly modified and agreed to, and the bill was passed—yeas 120 nays 30—the section providing that nothing in this act shall be construed to be in conflict with existing treaties being first stricken out [As passed the bill prohibits for five years from March 1 1887 importation into the United States of mackerel (except Spanish mackerel) caught between March 1 and June 1 of each year Nothing in the act however applies to mackerel caught off shore with hook and line from open row boats]

An order setting apart Saturday for general debate was received to take effect after to morrow

The House then proceeded to the consideration of private business Among the bills passed was one removing the charge of desertion from the record of Franklin Thompson alias Seeleye a woman who served in a Michigan regiment as a soldier without disclosing her identity

The House at five o'clock took a recess until 7 30 p m

At the night session the House passed thirty six private pension bills and adjourned at 10 p m

BASE BALL

Games Played Friday, May 21, 1886

LEAGUE

Detroit— Detroits, 7 Nationals, 4

St Louis—New Yorks, 7, Maroons, 1

Chicago—Chicagos 9 Philadelphias, 2

Kansas City — Bostons, 8, Kansas Citys, 7

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Philadelphia — Athletics, 6 Louisvilles, 3

Brooklyn — Pittsburghs, 6, Brooklyns, 4

Staten Island—Browns, 3, Metropolitans, 1

Baltimore, Md —Cincinnatis, 6, Baltimores, 5

WESTERN LEAGUE

St Joseph—Denvers, 15, St Josephs, 7

Will Make Test Cases of Them

LONG BRANCH N J, May 22 —Wm Lovell and Wm McLean, bookmakers, who were indicted for pool selling at Clifton, N J, will be held for trial on the 28th inst From the fact that Lovell, who forfeited bail at first, has renewed it, the inference is drawn that Monmouth Park pool sellers propose to make test cases of these trials

Ex-President Arthur

NEW YORK, May 21 —Ex President Arthur was prevented by threatening weather from driving out yesterday He received a number of callers and seemed to be in good spirits

Commencement at Maroa.

The graduating exercises of the Maroa high school were held in the opera house in that town on Wednesday evening, May 19th. the hall was crowded. Below is the program and list of graduates

Anthem—"Lord's Prayer"
Invocation
Anthem.
Salutatory and Essay—Whitewash. Blanche Moyer.
Oration—Failures Clarence Sigler
Essay—Now Arra Smith
Oration—Success Fred Barndt.
Duet and Chorus.
Essay—Night Brings Out the Stars Eva Young
Oration—The Age David Gray
Essay—Straws Minnie Beatty
Essay and Valedictory—Will Makes the Way Della Covault.
Quartette—"Come Thou Fount."
Presentation of Diplomas
Parting Song.
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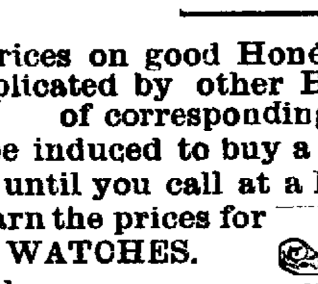

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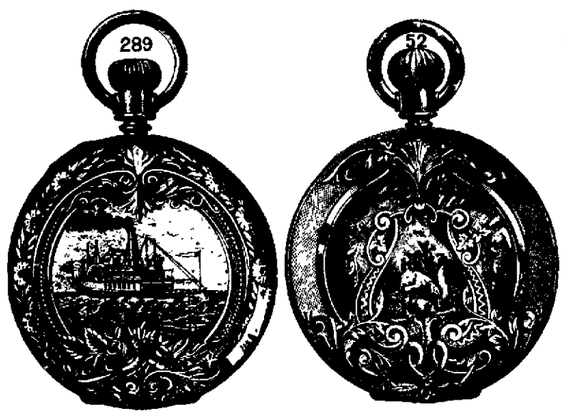

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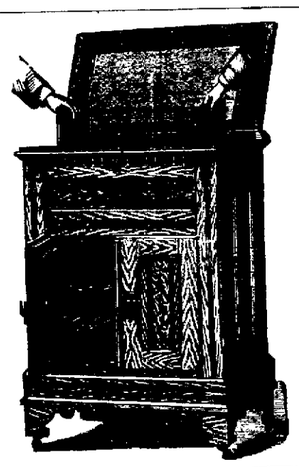

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SATURDAY EVE., MAY 22, 1886.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

MESSRS. EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—You will please announce the name of HON. W. B. CHAMBERS as candidate for re-election as member of the Board of Education at the election to be held June 1st. VOX POPULI.

LOCAL NEWS.

THE Alaska Refrigerator is what you want. Sold only at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

BUY the Maffit ice.

BALL game Monday afternoon.

GAUZE underwear at B. Stines. 14dtf

YOUNG men's meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Rooms at 3:30 to-morrow.

ICE CREAM at Gocke's, 752 East Eldorado St. May11-d1mo

CHILDREN under 15 years of age will be admitted to the ball park for 10 cents.

"HOUSE-CLEANING" at the Public Library is in progress. The rooms will be reopened on June 1st.

SEE the "French Spy" to-night. Miss Atkinson is great in the terrific sword combat.

IT will pay you to see the Quick Meal at Sorgen & Stout's, 2 doors north of New Deming, before buying a Vapor Stove. may20-dtf

THE boss bread, delicious strawberries and fresh milk in bottles at J. Lytle & Co.'s family grocery store, opera block.

YESTERDAY Jacksonville made a contract to light the city by electricity. The town will use six towers, each 125 feet high, and also gas. They copy after Decatur's sytem of lighting.

GET shaved at James Hollinger's barber shop. Four chairs, and satisfaction guaranteed. 17-dtf

BUY a Haines Bros. piano, on sale only at C. B. Prescott's music parlor.

HON. W. B. CHAMBERS is nominated by everybody as his own successor in the Board of Education at the election to be held June 1st. See announcement.

ON June 15th the convention of colored cooks of the state will be held in Decatur.

THE finest line of Spring Styles of Ladies' and Gent's foot-wear in the city at J. H. Black & Son's. apr20-dtf

GRAND opening ball game at the Park Monday afternoon. The DuQuoin Club will arrive from the south early Monday morning, and get in trim for the contest with the White Stockings.

IF you have any hose to be repaired, take it to H. Mueller & Sons. m15-dtf

BOB WINSTON is anxious to walk against Herriman. Let him get on the track and it will not take him long to discover that he is a slow coach.

LADIES' Narrow Toed D'Orsey Slippers, just received, at Powers & Haworth's. may22-d&wtf

IT is specially urged that every member of Gen. J. H. Moore Camp No. 14, Sons of Veterans, shall attend the regular meeting Monday night at G. A. R. hall. Special business.

CALL on Hanks & Patterson for family groceries, nice berries and fruits generally.

ASK all leading grocers for White Foam flour. You will like it.

THERE are four fine barbers at James Hollinger's shop. Courteous treatment to all. may14-dtf

BURNS is the acting captain of the Decatur White stockings. All members of the club are single, except Ingraham, who has a family at St. Louis.

THE Wilson Bros. Dress Shirt, the best fitting shirt made, at B. Stine's. 14dtf

A LUNATIC has escaped from the Kankakee asylum. His name is John Prindle, and he is twenty-five years of age, has blue eyes and a sallow complexion. Look out for him.

ANY child can use the Quick Meal. Sold by Sorgen & Stout, 135 North Main. may20 dtf

DEAL with Niedermeyer on the Mound and get fresh vegetables.

SELECT vegetables, fresh fish and canned goods of superior quality at Peter Ullrich's grocery store.

YOU will practice economy by buying Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, &c., free from cloth and paper wrappings, of Imboden Bros. may11-d2w

LEAVE your orders in person or telephone for family groceries at John T. Montgomery's store on North Water street.

WHEN you want a Feather Duster, call at the 99 Cent Store. may18-dtf

GRAND choir concert at the First M. E. church on Tuesday evening next. Miss Hadden will render several solos, and the choir of forty voices will fill the audience room with their magnificent choruses This will be a treat in the musical line to all who may attend.

A PERFECT-FITTING garment is a luxury. Fit, style and durability characterize the "T. C. & Co." Clothing. Read advertisement.

SEE Dustman & Meyer for elegant easy chairs, settees and baby carriages.

HARRY IRVIN has opened a stylish cigar stand at the 99 cent store, and invites his friends and the public to call. Imported cigars a specialty, may1-dtf

IN buying clothing three features should be considered—Fit, Finish and Service. Try the "T. C. & Co." Clothing. Advertisement on another page.

BUY ice of Maffit—Telephone 100.

THE Macedonia Baptist Church (colored) will hold a camp meeting at the Oakland Park, commencing August 20, and continuing ten days. may17-d2w*

THE growing demand for Boys' Suits with Knee Pants, for boys ranging from 10 years to 13 years, has induced B. Stine to supply the want of mothers, who have been unable to get them heretofore. may14-dtf

SPALDING'S, and C. & W. McClean Base Ball goods, cheaper than ever before, at H. Mueller & Son's, 138 Merchant street. m1-dtf

WHEN you are in need of any work in the Plumbing line, call upon H. Mueller & Sons. may15-dtf

PARTIES going East or West, North or South, should call on C. H. Brown, Wabash ticket office, Union Depot. 25-dtf

USE nothing but the Royal brand Fish Hooks, for sale by H. Mueller & Son. m1-dtf

ASK for D. S. Shellabarger & Co.'s Roller Process Pearl corn meal; guaranteed superior to any made in the state. f3-dtf

GENT'S Emery $3.00 Shoes, at J. H. Black & Son's. apr20-dtf

"Here's a Pretty Mess."

Some time ago the democratic treasurer of Logan county became involved in a quarrel with the editor of the Lincoln *Times*, the organ of the democratic party in the county, and as a result the delinquent tax list was given to a small office in Mt. Pulaski for publication. On Thursday the treasurer went before the county court and asked for judgment on the list, which was denied, it being found that so many errors existed in the publication of the list as to make it illegal. The time of judgment was postponed and the list will have to be readvertised. A part of the democratic party are trying to make political capital out of the matter against the treasurer, who seems to have become distasteful to the rank and file of that party. It is not every democratic editor who can publish a tax list correctly. They are not used to it.

The Fire.

The double frame barn at the rear of R. S. Bohon's residence, near the county jail, used jointly by Mr. Bohon and J. M. Clokey, caught fire at 2 o'clock this afternoon and was badly damaged, mostly to the upper part.

The alarm sent in by telephone from the REPUBLICAN office brought out the fire department, whose members had a hot time fighting burning hay in two lofts. There were no horses in the barn. Some party carried out a sitting hen and her dozen chicks. Cause of fire unknown.

Real Estate Sales.

The following sales have just been closed by the Frank Leforgee real estate agency:

J. K. Warren to Lehman & Bolen, lot on North Water street, 40x150; consideration, $400.

D. W. Brenneman & Co. to E. J. Hughes, lot on Bradford street, 40x150; consideration, $425. On Monday morning Mr. Hughes, who is store-keeper for the Wabash, will commence the erection of a fine $2,000 residence on his lot

E. A. Edwards to W. S. Fearn, lot on West Wood street, 50x150; consideration, $325.

R. S. Bohon to E. H. Rheagness, lot on West Macon street, 50x150; consideration, $310. Mr. R. will put up a fine house at once.

The Harrison & Gourley performance next Thursday night (Manager Haines' benefit) is "a play that begins with a breeze and merges into a cyclone of laughter, carrying everything before it and marks an epoch in the annals of fun." Don't fail to see "Skipped by the Light of the Moon." The Manager deserves a big benefit. He has given Decatur a splendid line of amusements the past season, the Strokosh company, the Thomas orchestra, Gilmore's band, the Mexican Typical orchestra and other excellent attractions.

The Last.

To-night the Maude Atkinson engagement will close with the thrilling French military drama, "The French Spy," with the full strength of the company. Don't fail to see the good-bye and best performance of the week.

Central Illinois Art Union

The meeting of the Art Union of Central Illinois was continued at Champaign yesterday with much interest. In the forenoon the delegates visited the splendid art gallery of the University of Illinois, it being the most choice collection of art in the west. The report of the secretary related the achievements of each of the art societies composing the union.

The officers for the new year are: President, Dr. T. J. Pitner; secretary, Mrs. J. A. Lutz; vice-presidents, Mrs. Henry Swayne, Bloomington; Mrs. Latham, Lincoln; Drs. J. E. Bering, Decatur; Mrs Dr. Griffith, Springfield; Mrs. M L. D Kizer and Mrs L. N. O Prince, Jacksonville; Mrs. Dr. T. S Ailing, of Champaign. An essay on "Gothic Truth and Latin Truth" was presented by Prof Patterson, of Jacksonville, and an address was made by Mr. A. M. Gould. The anniversary closed last night with a reception to the visitors at the residence of Mrs Burnham.

THE regular Gospel meeting in the Y M. C. A. Rooms at 3:30 Sunday afternoons will hereafter be a gospel meeting for young men—special effort will be made to secure the attendance of young men. The hour will be spent in short, pithy talks and good singing. All young men in the city will find these pleasant and profitable meetings.

THE choir of the first M. E. Church, directed by Mr. S. M. Lutz, will give a grand concert on Tuesday evening, May 25th, beginning at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of a choice selection of vocal solos, duets and quartets, and several fine organ solos by the organist, Miss Stella B. Hadden. Admission, 25 cents; reserved seats, 35 cents, to be had at Curtis & Bro.'s store.

Ball Games Monday and Tuesday.

Manager Morgan announces that the opening base ball game at the park will occur on Monday, May 24, to be followed by another game on Tuesday, May 25th. The visiting nine will be the Duquoin Club, the champions of Southern Illinois, who will play the Decatur White Stockings. Games will be called at 3:45 each day. Street cars run to the grounds, south of Oakland Park. Admission, 25 cents; grand stand, 10 cents extra. Plenty of room for people going out in private conveyances. The Decatur players will be Burns, Luttenberg, Grethers, Ingraham, Smith, Cook, Redman, Palmer, Conley and Wentz. Nine of these men will play. 20-4t

NEXT Wednesday the case of The People vs. Joseph Keenie will come up for trial in Justice Lowry's court. The defendant is charged with having committed an outrage on the person of Ella Hinesley, aged 18, on May 5th, the girl at the time being a servant in the Keenie family, who reside on Durfee street.

WHILE the Rev. Mr. Moore, of Oakland, was preaching in a school house near Newman, boys emptied a quantity of bricks, bad eggs, and other refuse on his head. They had placed the stuff in a bag attached to the rafters, and when the preacher began his sermon they loosened the bag by pulling a string from the outside of the building. The services were broken up by this act.

Masonic.

Special communication of Macon Lodge No. 8 A. F. and A. M. this (Saturday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, for work.

By order J. H. MAUZY, W. M.
T. W. PINKERTON, Sec.

PEKIN has organized a base ball club, and the players are ready for engagements. Mark Devine, Will Meyer, Dan Cronin, Wm. Weiss, Joe Fisa, Billy Kumpf, John Kessler, Doug Russell and Fred Schaefer are members of the organization.

He Shot In the Air.

George Johnson, the colored second cook at the Palace Hotel, was arrested soon after 11 o'clock last night by Marshal Mason, charged with shooting at Grant Cussins at the St. Nicholas hotel corner. Johnson and his pard, Jack Broil, had attended the Maude Atkinson performance, and coming away from the opera house they had some hot words with Grant Cussins and Jack Faunce, two white young men, who have figured frequently in the lower courts. While sitting at the St. Nicholas corner, Johnson and Broil saw Cussins and Faunce at the Quinn & Seyforth corner. Johnson called out to them, when Faunce jerked off his coat and hat, and he and Cussins made a dash for the colored cooks. Faunce pounded Broil until he was pretty well cooked; while Cussins was trying to get the best of Johnson, a pistol was discharged, when the white young men scampered off, and Johnson hid himself in his room at the Palace. Broil was considerably bruised and partly stunned. A crowd quickly gathered, and there was much activity among the police to get the straight story of the racket and learn where Johnson had gone. Finally Mason located him, and with the assistance of Officer Bailey and the Palace clerk, Johnson was captured. He refused to open the door for ten minutes. The revolver he used was found in the room. He will probably get off with a fine for firing off a pistol in the city limits and for carrying a concealed weapon.

Ed. Martin's Contract.

Governor Oglesby has let a $900 contract to Ed. Martin, of this city, who will build some of those famously good Portland Cement walks around the Governor's Mansion at Springfield. The walks are to be inside the iron fence, and will be built in graceful curves and of good width. The work will be commenced next week under the direction of D. Martin and son.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. G B. Bacon and son arrived home last evening.

A. S. Robinson will spend Sunday in Decatur with his family.

Born, to M. and Mrs. N. T. Watson, on May 20, a daughter.

Capt. Barrett has returned from a business trip to the west.

Miss Nellie Dora, of Charleston, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. W. Shively.

Miss H. M. Krebs has moved to 327 West Prairie street.

M. C. Pinkley and daughter, of Sullivan, were at the Palace to-day.

Geo. W. Downing is home from a business trip to Louisville, St. Louis and other points.

Robert Walters, said to be the king clarinet player, has arrived from New Harmony, Ind., to lead Goodman's band.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pratt leave for New England next week, on a visit of several weeks' duration.

Geo. E. Plumer, of the Danville Paint Company, left for home last night. He will return Monday, as he has five or six roofs to paint and more to follow.

Rev. W. W. Swearingen, pastor of the Methodist church at Hume, delivered a lecture on Christianity at Tilton, near Danville, Thursday night before a large audience. The address is pronounced as having been a success.

Sir Knight Hi Dillehunt favors us with a copy of the extensive program of exercises to be observed at Toronto, Canada, July 13th, on the occasion of the meeting of the Supreme Lodge of Knights of Pythias, to be held in that city.

THIS morning Charley Laux got an official document from Washington. The large envelop was marked Division D, Interior Department. The question arises, "Has he received an appointment from Grover?"

The Walking Match.

It is still in progress at the tabernacle, and grows in interest, the attendance growing larger each afternoon and evening. The contest was resumed this afternoon, and will witness an exciting close at 10 o clock to-night. The score for the 16 hours up to 10 last night was:

Herriman—102 miles and 3 laps.
Smith—101 miles and 11 laps.
Layton—82 miles and 12 laps.

Band music and skating again this evening.

An Audience in Hysterics.

The Chicago *Inter-Ocean* describes the effect of the performance of "Skipped by the Light of the Moon" in that city lately, by the original Harrison & Gourley company, which will be seen in their revised version of this play at the opera house next Thursday night (Manager Haines' benefit) in the following manner:

The most imperturbable nature goes down before it without a show of resistance, and everybody rolls and shakes and laughs. At the beginning of the performance last night the ladies of the audience, vaguely conscious of the prim proprieties to which they are used, stuffed their pretty little handkerchiefs into their pretty little mouths; but they soon yielded to the inevitable, and before the second act ended they were breaking their bonnet strings and gasping hysterically in efforts to catch their breath between shrieks. It was a complete surrender to the mad spirit of the hour, and the more the audience laughed the greater seemed their provocation to laugh. And that was the spirit which the two comedians sustained unflaggingly for two and a half hours.

Popular prices—25, 50 and 75 cents. Secure seats.

LAST evening Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Baker gave a pleasant card party at their home, on Decatur street. Refreshments were served during the evening, and everybody had a delightful time. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry May, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Buckingham, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Shively, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pratt, Mrs. Dille, Miss Dora, of Charleston, and Messrs. J. C. Hostetler, Dennis and Bernard Bradley.

LADIES wanting the *best* and *cheapest* Gasoline Summer Cooking Stoves go to Wingate's Lamp Store, Merchant Street, Central Block. my21 daw2w

The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at noon to-day:

Wheat—76⅛ June; 77⅞ July; 78¼ Aug.
Corn—36⅛ June; 37⅞ July; 37⅜ Aug
Oats—28⅛ June; 27⅝ July; 25 Aug.
Pork—$8.55 June; $8 65 July; $8.77½ Aug.
Lard—$5.92½ June; $6.00 July; $6.07½ Aug.
Ribs—$5 32½ June; $5 37½ July; $5 45 Aug.

Car Lots, receipts—Winter wheat, 12; spring, 13; corn, 149; oats, 259; rye, 2; barley, 20.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs, 10,500; left over from yesterday, 5,000; prices—mixed, $3.80@$4 20 heavy, $3.80; @4.00; packing, $4.05@$4.25. Cattle—1,400; steady.

THE COUNCIL IN SESSION.

Talk About the Paving Contract—The Work to Proceed Without Delay.

The city council met in adjourned session last night, Mayor Kanan and all the aldermen in attendance. Business did not commence until 8:40 o'clock.

Geo. S. Durfee, G. R. Bacon, Mrs. A. A. Powers, R. L. Walston, M. B. Hall, A. S. Waltz, George Nebinger, F. Priest, R. W. Shull, W. E. Nelson, J. W. Tyler, Mrs. Nancy Howenstine, H. W. and F. K. Bartholomew, T. A. Pritchett, J. F. Montgomery, O. P. Housum, E. P. Piper, F. A. Leforgee, R. R. Montgomery and J. V Burroughs asked that a sewer be built on North Main street, from Cerro Gordo street to William street, the same to extend to the main sewer beyond Church street; said sewer to be built before Main street is paved with brick. Referred to committee on public improvements.

Ald. Harwood's resolution, that the alley between Clinton street and the Illinois Central right of way, from Sangamon street north, be cleaned out, at a cost not to exceed $10, was adopted.

On motion of Ald. Harwood, the time of opening bids for paving certain streets with cobblestones was extended from May 27 to June 7th, the first regular meeting of the council for the coming month.

STREET PAVING.

There was considerable talk in reference to the construction of the ordinances in relation to the paving of streets with brick, under which Patrick H. Hunt presented his bids, and was awarded the contract for doing the work. The ordinance for each street specifies that the property owners shall not be required to pay any money until after the entire work on one street is completed and accepted by the council. This construction of the ordinances was pronounced a hardship on the contractor by his attorney, C. A Ewing, who addressed the council on the subject, and urged that as the work progressed the council should pass on the work block by block. This seemed to be fair, and met with the endorsement of the aldermen. The ordinance providing for the issuance of the tax warrants was so altered that Mr. Hunt, as the blocks are approved, may make a settlement with property owners in person, giving them vouchers in exchange for cash, and on these vouchers the property owner can go to the city clerk, and by presenting the same can take up the tax warrants. In this manner Mr. Hunt will be able to obtain money as the work progresses, though each property owner has the option of refusing to pay up until any one street is completed.

The contract between Mr. Hunt and the city was approved. The bond will be signed in a few days, and the work will be commenced, probably first on North Main street.

THIS morning David Martin left for Springfield in a farm wagon loaded with cement paving appliances. He took his fishing tackle along to angle in Stony Lake, where more than forty years ago he made lime.

HENRY KEYS, the heaviest dealer in lumber in Monticello, failed yesterday, his liabilities being large, reaching several thousand dollars, and assets nominal, with preferred local creditors. His principal creditors are Chicago parties. His failure was caused by bad times.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. George B. Vosburgh, pastor, preaches at 10 30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of the evening sermon, "The Self-development of Women," this being the fourth sermon in the series to women. Sunday school at 9 a. m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Rev. Sophie Gibb, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at noon. Morning subject, The Relation of Doctrine to Religion; evening theme, "Friendship as taught by Secret Societies." Strangers especially invited.

U. B. CHURCH.

Second quarterly meeting for this year. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. A. C. Scott. Preaching in the evening by H. W. Trueblood.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sevices at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Sunday school at 2 p. m. All cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Preaching by the pastor, T. W. Pinkerton, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morn. subject, "The Triumph of the Kingdom of Christ;" evening, "The Gospel God's Power." Sunday school at 2 p. m. All are cordially invited.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Class meeting at 9 a. m. and 11:45 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Converts' meeting at 6:45 p. m. S. Broadway Mission S. S. at 2 p. m; class meeting 3:30 p. m. Morning subject, "God Our Lawgiver, King, Judge and Savior." Evening subject, "Salvation."

STAPP'S CHAPEL M. E.

Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor morning and evening. Morning subject, "Public Worship." Evening subject, "Love Revealed." Sunday school at 2 p. m., E. O. Reese, supt.

ENGLISH EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH,

corner North Main and Eldorado streets, Rev. J. D. Roth, pastor. Regular services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. The theme for morning discussion will be "Man's Responsibility for his belief;" in the evening, "Patrician Riot and Ruin." It is expected that the corner stone of the new building will be laid next Sunday, 30th inst.

Y. M. C. A.

Jail service at 9 a. m.; Gospel meeting at 3:30 p. m. for men only. This meeting has heretofore been one for everybody, but has been changed to a meeting for men only, to carry on specific work for young men. Short talks and good singing. Strangers in the city will receive a cordial welcome.

CHURCH OF GOD.

No services at the Bethel to morrow, except Sunday school at 2 p. m.

ANYONE can learn all about the Quick Meal in five minutes. See it at Sorgen & Stout's, 135 North Main. 21-dtf

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DIED.

In Whitmore township, on Friday, May 21, of pneumonia, WALTER B. HUSTON, aged 47 years.

The deceased was a member of Co. A, 41st Ill. Vol., and served through the war, during which he contracted a disease which made him an easy victim of the complaint which was the immediate cause of his death. Mr. Huston leaves a widow and four children.

The funeral will take place from the Union church to-morrow, at 10 o'clock, under the direction of Fred Spooner Post, G. A. R., of which the deceased was a member.

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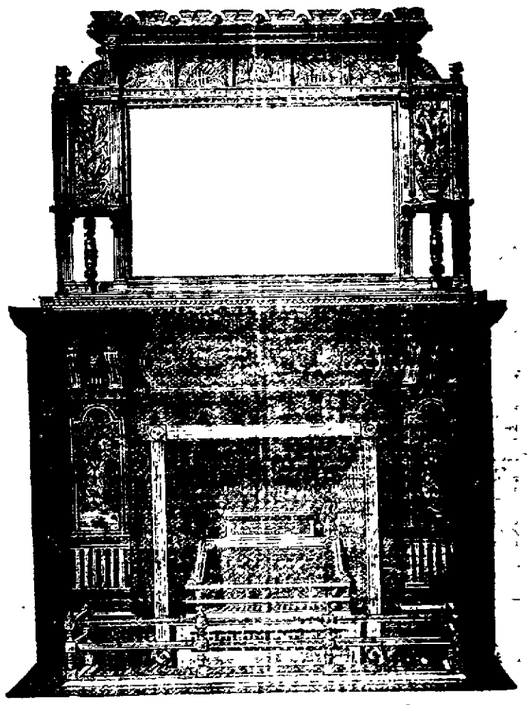

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County. } ss.

In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1886.

Catharine Haney vs. William P. Shade, administrator of the estate of Michael K. Carroll, deceased, Isabella Disney, John Disney, John Carroll, Clara Carroll, James Carroll, Thomas Carroll, William H. Carroll, Nellie Carroll, Daniel B. Carroll, Martin Haney and Catherine F. Haney.

Affidavit stating that the said Martin Haney, a defendant in the above entitled cause, was not a resident of the state of Illinois, and that the place of residence and postoffice address of the said Martin Haney are unknown, and that upon diligent inquiry his place of residence and postoffice address cannot be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is hereby given to the said Martin Haney, that the said Catherine Haney, complainant, on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1885, filed in said court on the chancery side thereof her bill of complaint, addressed to the May term, A. D. 1885, of said court, and that a summons in said cause issued against the said Martin Haney, returnable at the said May term, and which summons was returned not served, the said Martin Haney not being found.

That on the 14th of November, A. D. 1885, the said complainant filed in said court her amended bill of complaint in said cause, addressed to the January term, A. D. 1886, of said court, and that a summons in said cause has been issued against the said Martin Haney returnable at the June term, A. D. 1886, of said court, to be held at the court house in Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the first Monday in June, 1886, as is by law required, and that said cause is still pending in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of Said Court.

CREA & EWING and J. M. CLOKEY, Sols. for Complainant.

April 29-d4w

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

THE following was contained in one of the papers read before the state medical society at Indianapolis last week: "If there be an agent that reproduces any disease, and we destroy only a part of such agent, it is quite clear that what is not destroyed must be sufficient to maintain the continuance of the malady. It is therefore a point of first magnitude that we acquaint ourselves with the best known means to destroy contagion, in whatever shape it may appear, to the extent of the annihilation of every vestige of the active principle. The importance of disinfectants can hardly be overstated. There is a widespread belief that there are preparations of chemicals or drugs on which we can rely to arrest the spread of contagious diseases. Many of these have little or no virtue in that direction, and are made to sell either in fraud or ignorance of their real qualities. It were far better that the public should rely on natural purification, tedious and uncertain as it is, than that they abandon natural purification under promise that artificial disinfection shall do the work of purification promptly and perfectly, and then realize through experience and suffering that they have been deceived by false lights, and led into avoidable danger by promises born of weakness and greed."

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RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

Jacob Spangler, a worthy and honored member of Decatur Lodge, No 65, I. O. O. F., departed this life at his home, two and one half miles east of Decatur, Monday evening, May 10th, 1886, in the 71st year of his age.

WHEREAS, The tablets of mortality in the methods of our noble order are due to receive the record of time and eternity in the writings of our Lodge to his fidelity, honorable and upright life, and the many kind and noble acts, as an Odd Fellow; and of the belief that is within us that the maxims of our order, Friendship, Love and Truth, governed by the support of faith in the fatherhood of God, hope for the ever-living soul, and charity for the brotherhood of man, was the record of his daily life in the years past, and to the peaceful close of the earthly pilgrimage of our worthy and well-beloved brother, Jacob Spangler; therefore

Resolved, That Decatur Lodge No. 65, I. O. O. F., mourns the removal of the name of Bro. Spangler from our Lodge roll, for in times past we have a lively cause to remember the early hardships of our Lodge in its struggle for an existence, when its members were called to other fields of action and civil duties were almost weakened to death; when by him and such other brothers as he (most of whom have joined that immortal caravan that have preceded him across the dark river) we are to-day in lodge life. For this and for the daily ministrations of acts of brotherly love, and his example in purity as an Odd Fellow, we honor his memory, regret and mourn his loss, and should strive to emulate his character in order to be entitled to a like record when the summons comes and the record is being made up for us.

Resolved, That our sympathies are hereby tendered to the bereaved and fatherless children. They have our heartfelt wishes for their support and resignation in this their trial of earthly affliction, taking to themselves the consolation of the hope in a meeting and greeting on the shining shores on the other side of the dark and cold river, and by the testimony of this Lodge as to his well-known devotedness and kindness as a father to his motherless children, and of his memory cherished by the brothers of this Lodge.

Resolved, That this testimonial be transcribed upon the Lodge records, and a copy properly verified be presented to the family of Brother Spangler, and that the city papers be requested to give publication hereof.

Resolved, That the Lodge room be properly draped, and that the brothers wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

Respectfully submitted.

WM. TOWLING,
J. A. BROCKWAY,
H. W. WAGGONER,
Committee.

SOME men manage to preserve their presence of mind under the most trying circumstances. The Rev. D. D. Winslow, the Boston forger and ex-Methodist minister, who is now in jail at Buenos Ayres, has been publishing an English daily paper there, and running a job printing office, making money by both ventures, and gaining considerable sympathy through claims that his troubles in Boston were the result of misfortune rather than rascality. Recently he has been speculating in real estate, and when he got into a tight place he fell from grace much as he did in Boston.

A NOVEL flower has been found on the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, at the San Jose hacienda, some twenty-two leagues from the city of Tehuantepec. This floral chameleon has the faculty of changing its colors during the day. In the morning it is white, when the sun is at its zenith it is red, and at night it is blue. This red-white-and-blue flower grows on a tree about the size of a guayave tree, and another peculiarity of this flower is that only at noon does it give out any perfume.

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County. } ss.

In the Circuit Court of said County, to the June Term, A. D. 1886.

John Ulirich, as Executor of the last will and testament of William Lintner, deceased, and Trustee thereunder, and Harry C. Lintner, vs. James Timberman, Matthew Timberman, Laura Dick, David Timberman, Amanda Landon, Maggie Taylor, Nancy Harris, David M. Lintner, William K. Lintner, Eliza J. Irwin, Edward Oaks, Henry Oaks, William L Oaks, John Oaks, Sidney B. Oaks, James Lintner, William E. Lintner, Luratta Chambers and Silas Oakes—In Chancery.

Notice is hereby given to the above named James Timberman, David Timberman, Maggie Taylor, now known as Mrs. Maggie Amick, that the above named complainants have heretofore filed their certain bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof against them and the other defendants named above; that a summons has issued against them out of said court, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Macon county aforesaid, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1886, being the seventh day of said month, as is by law required, and that said suit is now pending in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CREA & EWING, Compl't's Sol. Decatur, Ill., April 28—d4w

NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends to make application to the city council at its next regular meeting, on the first Monday in June, 1886, for a license to sell intoxicating liquors in a house situated on the south half of lot 4, in block 10, Allen McReynolds & Co.'s addition to Decatur, said building owned by D. W. and Eli Brenneman. may18-d2w JULIUS KREISTER.

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"I should like to spoke a few words to Brudder Amazon Green," said the president, as the meeting opened and the Hall grew quiet.

Brother Green, who is a young man with a mellow look and a hitch in his gait, advanced to the platform in a hesitating manner, and the president continued:

"Brudder Green, I l'arn dat you am on de pint of gwine inter bizness fur yerself. I am told dat you am soon to open a co'ner grocery an' a butcher shop combined."

"Yes, sah."

"I'ze glad dat you am about to make a start in life, and I desiah to drep a few hints which may be of some value to you. Brudder Green, de grocer who gives fifteen ounces to de pound may wax fat fur a few years an' git to be referee at a wrestlin' match, but Justice has her eye on him, and when the ole gal gits around to it she'll gin him a dose dat will sot him back for twenty years.

"De pusson who sells fifty-cent tea an' two-shillin' tea from de same chist may git along powerful smart fur awhile, but he's only coaxin' a bile to grow on his nose. When de bile comes he'll pay out more for flax-seed dan he has made on tea.

"In sellin' beefsteak study human natur'. Some men doan' object to a pound and a half of bone to a half pound of meat, but we ain't all built arter dat fashun. Doan' kill a hundred dollars worf of custom fur de sake of selling fo' cents worf of bone.

"While it am expeckted dat you will hide de bad taters in de middle of de measure, doan' misunderstan' de public an' water yer 'lasses as well.

"If a man axes you fur lamb an' you has'nt got nuffin but ole sheep, tell him so. Deceivin' a man on mutton makes him as much your enemy as if you beat him out o' a Congreshunal nominashun.

"De paper which you buy for two cents a pound kin be weighed up wid goods dat sell fur fifteen and nobody will kick, but doan' emagine dat dis gives you license to roast beans wid your coffee or keep fillin' up de vinegar bar'l wid rain-water.

"Be keerful whom you credit. Dar am plenty of people in dis world who like to pay debts, but dar am about de same number who will jump you fur some other stoah as soon as de books balance fo'teen cents agin 'em.

"Doan' cease gwine to church bekase you am in business, but next time de pew-rentin' comes off take a seat a leedle furder back. Lots of people hev somehow got de ideah dat a modern bizness man, doin' bizness arter de modern fashun, has got to do a heap o' wrestlin' wid his conscience in case he adopts any pertickler brand o' religun.

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—*Detroit Free Press.*

A SMALL REPUBLIC.

How the "Valleys and Sovereignties of Andorra" Are Governed.

Although the world knows so little about it, Andorra is an independent state, and in the "Almanach de Gotha" it is given three-quarters of a page all to itself. The Vale of Andorra—and "there is not in this wide world a valley so sweet"—is surrounded by the Pyrenees; on the French side it adjoins the department of Ariege, and on the Spanish side the province of Lerida. The nearest easily accessible point is the town of Foix; but it is only in summer that the scene of Halevy's comic opera can be reached from France. From the Spanish side communication is, however, always open. The territory of the republic is some seventeen miles long by fifteen wide; but the greatest uncertainty exists regarding its population, which has been estimated at as low as four thousand and as high as eighteen thousand. Probably it is about ten thousand. The Andorrans plume themselves mightily upon the antiquity of their form of government. Their ancestors were discreet enough to assist Louis le Debonnaire, son of Charlemagne, to capture the city of Urgel; in return wherefor he granted them a charter of independence, which is still proudly preserved in an iron chest fastened by six locks—one for each parish in the republic. When he succeeded his father, Louis made over one-half of his suzerain rights to the Prince Bishop of Urgel; and this was the beginning of the "dual control." He retained, however, one-half of the tithes, which, until the Andorran revolution of 1842 abolished them, were always known as the "Carlovingian tax." This is the most momentous change that has taken place in the history of the republic during the last thousand years. The annual tribute paid to France is $190, and the Bishop of Urgel $175. The twenty-four members of the General Council, in whom the supreme government is vested, are nominated for four years by four heads of families in each of the six parishes. The council is presided over by a first syndic, assisted by a second syndic. The first syndic is the President of the republic—or, rather, of "the valleys and sovereignties of Andorra," as it is styled in all state documents. Justice is administered by a civil judge and two "Captain Magistrates;" the latter are also joint Generalissimos of the national army, which consists of all the able-bodied men within the republic. The judge is appointed by France and the Bishop of Urgel alternately, and each suzerain nominates a "Captain Magistrate." The spiritual jurisdiction of the Bishop of Urgel is peculiar. For four months of the year he can make appointments, as of right, to cures of souls, but during the other eight months his nominations must be ratified by the Pope.—*Cor. Chicago Times.*

—A constable at Canaan, Conn., while in search of a criminal in an old colored woman's house, found six burly negroes packed away in a small cavern underneath the hearthstone. They were all "wanted" for one crime or another, and the constable reaped a reward for the arrest of each.

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	No. Enrolled.	Half-days Absent.	No. Tardy.
HIGH SCHOOL.			
J. W. Gibson	59	12	0
Mary W. French	54	6	0
Minnie A. Parker	48	13	1
Mary Wilder	63	8	0
Anna E. Murphy	75	22	4
SANGAMON STREET.			
Thos. L. Evans	41	16	0
Lizzie Howes	56	13	1
Mary B. Hasbrouck	54	48	0
Agnes Roddy	56	18	0
A. Anna Tinkler	73	22	2
Belle W. Hobbs	99	24	4
MARIETTA STREET.			
Anna H. Jack	42	4	1
Mary E. Vaughan	66	15	0
Nettie Hall	65	38	2
Anna E. Woods	99	11	3
WOOD STREET.			
Jennie E. Durfee	53	37	2
Juna C. Miller	43	17	4
G. Anna Raymond	59	41	1
Mary C. Gregory	—	—	2
Bertha Norman	61	17	2
Bettie Anderson	84	19	2
CHURCH STREET.			
Edwin Philbrook	53	19	1
Belle Fulton	46	35	0
Lucy Anderson	49	13	0
Anna M. Wilson	57	42	2
Mary A. Lukens	57	7	0
Sarah R. Sanderson	46	11	0
JACKSON STREET.			
Rosa E. Judson	39	11	1
Mattie V. Bean	45	9	2
Roberta Keyes	42	15	1
Clara W. Bowles	106	28	4
JASPER STREET.			
John T. Bowles	41	17	4
Alida R. Handy	46	12	1
Minnie Bigelow	46	47	1
Laura Montgomery	97	27	1
JONES SCHOOL.			
Christina Sanderson	13	22	5

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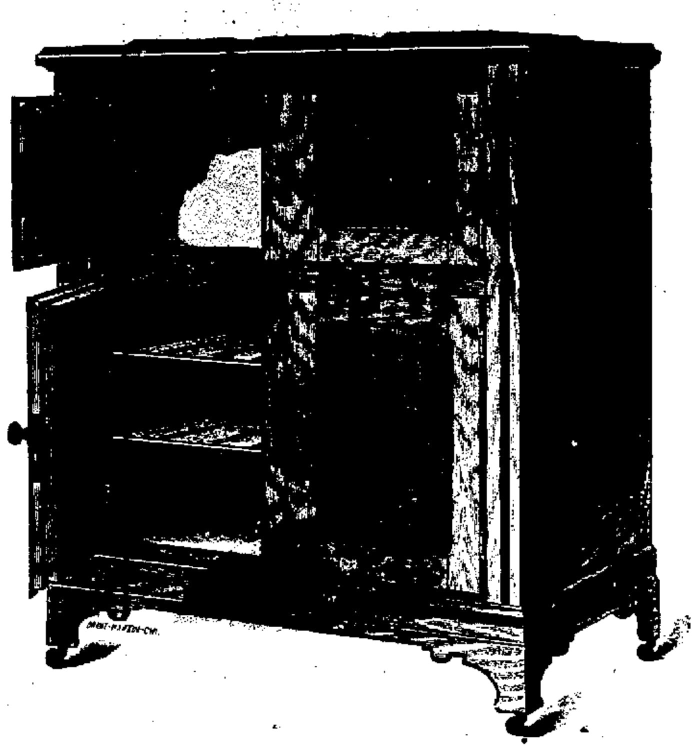

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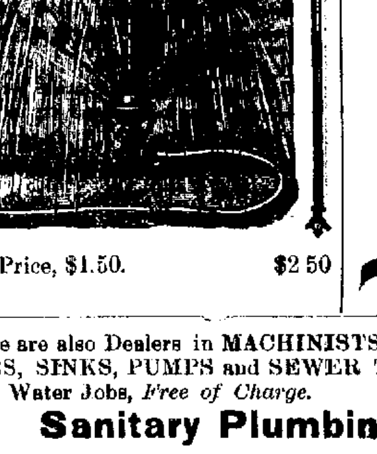

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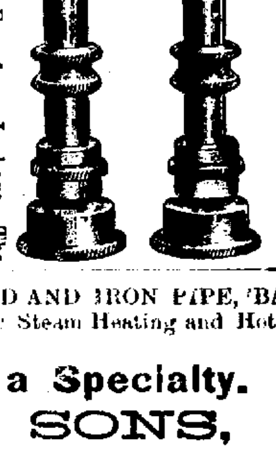

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